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TORONTO TIDINGS

Messrs. Henry E. Grooms, A. C. Shepherd, W. C. Mackay, Frank E. Doyle and H. W. Roberts, of Toronto, Postal Service, were all up for their annual examinations on postal laws and regulations during the week of April 20th, but the results will not be known until they hear from the Civil Service Commission at Ottawa.

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of our Church was held on April 21st, to hear of what Rev. A. L. Richards, of the Broadview Congregational Church had to say in regard to the purchase of a church site. Several places were mentioned, but no definite action was taken. Mr. Richards cautioned us to go slowly, as many unseen snags were liable to bob up in the way. It will be remembered that it was this Rev. gentleman, who spoke so earnestly and hopefully at our church on Easter Sunday. Immediately after the meeting on the 21st, Mr. Richards hurried over to the General Hospital to have some of his blood transfused to a poor young patient, whose people were too poor to pay for any other means.

While at work, at the Massey Harris Co., on April 15th, Mr. George Elliott had the misfortune to get the longest finger on his left hand badly split, from the top down to the first joint, after having it dressed by the company's surgeon, George resumed his work, but shortly afterwards it became so painful that he was obliged to go to his home at Long Beach, but when the community nurse of that village examined the injured digit she found blood poison had set in, and George was immediately rushed to the Toronto General Hospital, put under ether and the finger amputated at the first joint. George has since left the hospital for home and is now doing well. During his enforced illness he is drawing full pay from his company as well as the Compensation Board.

Miss Margaret Ross left, on April 24th, for two weeks' holiday with relatives and friends in Bracebridge. Margaret is the eldest daughter of Mr. W. J. Ross of the post office service.

The Toronto Association of the Deaf held a meeting at the I. O. F. building, on Friday evening, April 24th, to re-organize their base ball teams for the coming season, and from what transpired that evening it looks like a good season with three teams in the field. The Association's financial condition showed a healthy sheet. A feature of the meeting was the presentation to each player of last year's championship team, "The Mercury," of beautiful silver belt buckles. The following were the lucky members of the team: Messrs. David Lawrence, Thomas Goulding, John Marshall, Lorenzo G. Maiola, James Tate, Asa Forrester, John Buchan, W. W. Scott and Colin McLean. The champion bowling team of the past winter was also remembered, and each player was the recipient of a very beautiful loving silver cup, suitably engraved, and the following got one of this coveted silver ware: Messrs. S. R. Edwards, James Tate, William McGovern, John Brown and Lorenzo G. Maiola. President John Maynard was in the chair.

Mr. A. W. Mason was up to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. David Hamby, in Nobleton, on April 28th, as the representative of the deaf of this city.

Mr. Charles Ford is back again from a visit to Sarnia and Detroit, with relatives and friends. He tried to get work while away, but in vain. Charlie expects his mother and deaf sister, Miss Clarissa Ford, of Mountain, up to see him soon.

Frank Pierce. This was followed by the Drama, "The fruits of Reasoning," featuring Mrs. Henry Whealy as the "Lady," Miss Marion Powell as the "Maid," Miss Harry Grooms, as the "Worshipful Grand Master," Mr. A. H. Jaffray, as the "Lochinvar," and Mr. Charles McLaughlin as the "Lordly Prince." Finally came the Ladies' Aid members grouped together in living models, representing "Hope, Love, and Charity," in various poses, and the entertainment closed with all signing in union "God Save the King," led by Mrs. Walter Groom.

We all sympathize with Mr. George Brethour and his sister, Miss Carrie, in the death of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Alex. Crail, of Montreal, who passed away on April 16th, and also of their aunt, Miss Susie Brethour, who answered her Master's call, in this city, on April 22d.

In his usual pleasing way, Mr. P. Fraser treated all those who turned out to our church on Sunday, April 26th, to a masterly sermon on "Ye Must Be Born Again," and earnestly cautioned all to wash their sins in the blood of the Lamb and submerge themselves in the mantle of true Christian doctrine and fellowship, declaring that behind a sinner's animism there was a striving for a higher and more Christlike life. Miss Benah Wilson gracefully rendered, "Waiting, Waiting Till Jesus Comes."

Our Epworth League discussion on April 22d, referred to the riches of Jehovah and his affinity with Ahab and of his fall into disgrace and the equally wicked reign of his son, Jezebel.

Miss Muriel Allen returned from Hamilton on April 19th, after a week's sojourn there, helping her mother at house cleaning.

The late Rev. John Coburn, the blind Evangelist, who died in this city recently, was a close chum of Mr. Samuel Smith, now living in Detroit, when they met at the School for the Deaf in Belfast, Ireland, many years ago, and when the deceased came to Toronto two or three decades ago, taught a class of the deaf on Yonge Street.

The Rev. gentleman was well known and highly esteemed by deaf, particularly by the older generation.

The writer had unintentionally overlooked to report in a recent issue the pretty wedding that took place at the Bloo Street Baptist Church, on March 17th, when Miss Marjory Violetta Buoy, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bundy, of 65 Ulster Street, and grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lester Smith, became the bride of Mr. Reginald Charles Ball, of this city. The Rev. Mr. Cameron performed the ceremony. The charming young bride, as well as the bridesmaid, looked very becoming in powder blue dresses, and each carried a bouquet of lovely pink roses. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents after the ceremony. The happy couple are now residing at 65 Ulster Street, Alexander and Maxim.

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On account of alterations being made at the Cherry home in Preston, Mrs. Ida Cherry Robertson and Mrs. Joseph Cole postponed their trip to Nova Scotia from May 3d to May 10th.

On the morning of April 19th, the Moynihan noticed near their Waterloo home a poor little mama robin, laboring herself in a vain attempt to free her legs of a string in which they got entangled. To the string was also attached a stick about eight inches long. Poor birdie seemed in great agony, but the efforts of the Moynihan to catch her were fruitless until a day or so later, when she was seen to be caught in the branches of a nearby apple tree. No time was lost in extracting the little red breast from her perilous position, and Miss Beverley Moynihan then told her deaf parents that it was a pity they could not bear it sing as it flew off its nest and kept up a long loud melody of thanks, as if saying—

Little deeds of kindness
Little words of love,
Make this earth an Eden
Like the Heaven above.

FORT QUAPPELLE FACTS

The deaf of this part of Canada are so interested in the JOURNAL since it has given space for Canadian news, that they could hardly do without it. It is like a weekly letter from home.

We were very sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. John Walter Gee at Cupar, on Easter Sunday, and was buried in the Cupar Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Gee came to this district some twenty years ago from near London, Ont., and bequeathed a homestead, on which they farmed successfully, retiring a few years ago. Besides her husband the deceased leaves four sons and one daughter now married and living near Rochester, Ont.

Mrs. Neil Calder has moved up here from Ontario, and lives with her youngest son, who runs a dry and livery business in Fort Quappelle. Her daughter is employed at the Fort Quappelle Sanitorium, where over 300 patients are receiving treatment. Those who were at the Belleville School back in the nineties will remember Mrs. Calder, as Miss Jessie Brown, of Mount Forest, Ont.

Mr. Noah Labelle reports heavy business in his harness shop, and sales are continually on the upward trend. Noah does a rushing business in his store and shop, where he keeps a line of high grade fine shoes as well as working shoes and harness, besides repairing.

He has been here for over twelve years and is well known and highly esteemed by all in this neighborhood. He is a great golf player, and is frequently seen driving the ball on the tees with the accuracy of a professional.

He has two other deaf brothers, Alexander and Maxim.

LONDON LEAVES.

Mr. Charles A. Ryan, of Woodstock, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Fisher over the weekend of April 25th, and took in the Jaffray meeting that Sunday.

We wish to inform Mr. Herbert W. Roberts, our hustling correspondent, that Mr. Joseph Toulouse, whom he enquired for in a recent issue, is living on a farm at Big Point, near Casham. Mr. Herbert Wilson was up that way and met Mr. Toulouse, who was doing very well.

Mr. W. H. Gould, Jr.'s, father, who is still very active at 77, can be seen very often driving around with his pony and carriage, which he prefers to that of an automobile.

Mr. Herbert Wilson has signed with the ball team of the McCormack Co., which is grouped in the Intermediate League with Ingoldsby, St. Mary's and Gibsonburg. Herb is a pitcher and outfielder.

HER LAST SLEEP.

The deaf everywhere she was known were shocked and sorry to hear of the death of their old and esteemed friend, Mrs. David Hamby, at her home in Nobleton, at nine o'clock, on the morning of April 25th. By her removal from our midst, the oldest deaf widow in Canada ceases to be, for she now

crosses the great span into the vast beyond.

The late Mrs. Hamby was born near the village of Palermo, in the County of Halton, on May 12th, 1840, and had she lived two weeks longer, she would have attained her 86th year. Before her marriage, she was Miss Susannah Spears, daughter of the late Archibald Spears, and lost her hearing, by scarlet fever, when but two summers born. She was brought up under the best discipline and loving care, which was responsible for her gentle manners and pious demeanor through her useful life.

At first she was educated under private tutelage, then attended the old Hamilton School for the Deaf, and completed her schooling in the year 1878 she was married, at Oakville, to Mr. David Hamby, of Nobleton. They had no children. On May 23d, 1907, her husband died and since then she had resided in her old home at Nobleton—a home that her husband hewed out of the virgin forest in the troublesome year of the McKenzie Rebellion of 1837. The funeral took place from her late residence to Laurel Hill Cemetery, near Bolton, Ont., on Tuesday, April 28th, and was very largely attended. To the bereaved ones we extend deepest sympathy.

GENERAL GLEANINGS

Could any of your Canadian readers give the whereabouts of Miss Aunetta Buir, whom we last saw thirty years ago.

Mr. Frank Ross, of Jarvis, a relative of Mr. Thomas Bradshaw, of Santa Barbara, Cal., died, on April 20th, very suddenly of apoplexy. The deceased was widely and popularly known.

When Miss Helen A. Middleton left Toronto, on April 20th, she rode to the station in a taxi amid scenes of summerlike hue, but when she reached her home station of Shelburne, she was whirled away to her parental home near Hornung Mills, in a sleigh with jingling bells and through snowdrifts from two to four feet high amid an atmosphere of Christmas satire. It is only sixty-five miles from Toronto to Shelburne. What think ye of this?

After a long illness, which he bore with true Christian fortitude, Mr. Thomas Greene passed to the Great Beyond on April 19th, in his 51st year. He had suffered for a long time from an ailment that was diagnosed as dropsy. After graduating from the Belleville school over 28 years, he married Miss Martha Baragar and they took up farming near his home in St. Ola, in Hastings Co., but later moved to Toronto, where they lived for a while, but again moved back to their farm. Their union was blessed with three children—all girls, and Bertha, the eldest is now Mrs. Burkett, of St. Ola. The deceased was of a quiet unassuming manner and very popular with all who knew him. We extend to the bereaved family our deepest sympathy.

Former Superintendent Thomas P. Clarke, of Vancouver, Washington Deaf School, who was reported dead on the way to recovery, is considered worse, according to reports from his Vancouver friends and may not survive much longer. This sad news has caused much sorrow, at Vancouver and Portland, and many are praying for his recovery, which is doubtful.

Mr. C. H. Linde, who bought a beautiful little home a year ago on 56th Street, has just finished making a pretty lawn and expects to see some fine flowers. Mrs. Linde has planted. Mr. Linde has about one of the finest job of any Portland deaf, working as a lithographer for the *Portland Journal*, one of Portland's leading newspapers.

He has done a great deal for the deaf during his term as President of O. A. D. And does things without bragging of it.

Mr. Royal Cooke will soon be another wise man, as he is planning to join the good bunch among the boys of No. 41, N. F. S. D.—the Portland Frat campaign to get 100 members in the division during 1925 and 1926. And those who finds fault with the organization should join, and they will be surprised to find out that the faults were all their own, but if they don't join, they will never know what a lively bunch the boys No. 41 are, and all good citizens at that.

Mrs. Rudy Spieler is expecting a visit from her brother, Mr. Rufus Pickett, of Brooklyn, New York, who will arrive some time in June. Mrs. Spieler says she has not seen her brother for 13 years, which will be a happy reunion. The Spieler will soon build a larger home.

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PORTLAND, ORE.

Mr. John Skoglund and Mr. Andrew Genner, of Spokane, Wash., motored from Spokane to Vancouver, Wash., on their way to Seattle, arriving at Vancouver, on Saturday night, April 11th.

Mr. P. H. Divine, aged father of L. A. Divine, principal of the Vancouver, Wash., Deaf School narrowly escaped serious injuries recently while driving home to his farm with a horse and buggy, on the highway.

As Mr. Divine turned in towards his home, a speeding auto struck his buggy throwing the old man to the pavement, but he is not considered badly hurt. Mr. Divine is over 80 years old, the oldest deaf man in Vancouver and perhaps in the State of Washington. Mr. Divine owns a fine prune farm about two miles outside of Vancouver.

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About eighty deaf attended the Easter service at the Trinity Lutheran Church, to listen to a fine sermon on Christ's crucifixion and how Easter Sunday should be respected by all people and kept holy. Twelve deaf persons were confirmed as members of the church, about twenty are now members by Rev. Eickmann for the past year. Other deaf attended the service at the Church of the Stranger.

The convention committee of the Oregon Association of the Deaf were called up by President Linde, to meet in a room of the *Journal* building to arrange matters pertaining to the coming convention from July 1st to 5th. The event will open with a reception, on Wednesday night, at the headquarters, corner of West 3d and Columbia Streets. This location is near the heart of the city, and should be easy to find.

The committee in charge are C. H. Linde, President and general chairman, H. P. Nelson, chairman of headquarters, B. L. Craven, J. O. Reiche, Wayne Thierman, Mrs. C. H. Linde, Mrs. H. P. Nelson, Mrs. Wm. F. Cooke and Mr. Lee, Miss Dodd. Any one from out of the State, who contemplates coming to the event and wishes to know concerning accommodation, can write to H. P. Nelson, 2829-62d Street, S. E., Portland, who will be glad to assist any visitors.

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visitor from Detroit, Mich., were callers at the Nelson home on Sunday, April 12th. After the service at the Lutheran Church, the Hunters, Nelsons and Mrs. DeVlieg were invited to stop and see Mrs. Guile Deliglio's new home, which she and Mr. Cooke will occupy, after April 16th. So the name Mrs. Deliglio will become Mrs. William Fred Cooke. The new home is just alongside of the bride's folks' home and is beautifully furnished with new furniture in six rooms.

Supri. and Mrs. George Lloyd, of the Deaf School at Vancouver, are the proud father and mother of a new born son, who arrived on March 23d.

Mrs. Guile Deliglio and Mr. William Frederick Cooke, both of Portland, were quietly married on Thursday, April 16th, 8 P.M., at the home of Rev. E. Eickmann, preacher for the deaf at Trinity Lutheran Church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cooke's deaf friends were in town in honor of the bride and groom. It was a swell affair and everybody went home satisfied with the good time that evening. Mr. and Mrs. Cooke will be at home after

May 1st, next door to the bride's folks.

William, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thierman, is the proud owner of a Radio set, which was installed in his room recently.

Thelma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bad Hastings, was down sick recently, but it is not thought dangerous.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lawrence, of Vancouver, Wash., are reported sick with whooping cough, but nothing alarming.

Mr. L. R. Peterson lost his job at the Western Cooperage, because he took up too much time on his steel boat, during working hours, but it is thought he may get his job back

Deaf-Mutes' Journal

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To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-bounding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

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A Vast Difference.

THE "Bulletin to the Schools," issued twice a month by the University of the State of New York, recently contained the following, which ought to give food for reflection upon the vast difference which education and technical training makes upon the earning capacity of the individual as compared with the partly educated and untrained:

"The cash value of a high school education to its possessor is estimated at \$33,000 by Everett W. Lord, dean of the College of Business Administration of Boston, who has made an analysis of the comparative financial returns from different degrees of education. The money value of a college or technical school education is placed by Dean Lord at \$72,000 more than that of the high school education."

"His report states the average maximum yearly income of the untrained man to be less than \$1200; that of the high school graduate to be \$2200; and that of the college or technical school graduate to be \$6000. He also estimates that while the untrained man at the age of 50 years begins to drop toward dependence, the college man reaches his maximum earning capacity at 60 years of age."

"Dean Lord's computation shows that the untrained man goes to work as a boy of 14 years and reaches his maximum income at 30 years, on the average less than \$1,200 a year. He points out that since the untrained man's income is dependent on physical strength and manual dexterity, it falls off at 50 years of age or earlier, to a point below the level of self-support. More than 60 out of every 100 untrained workers are shown to be dependent upon others for support at the age of 60 years. The total earnings from the age of 60 years are placed at about \$45,000. Between the ages of 14 and 18 years, the 4 years that might have been spent in high school, the young man usually earns not more than \$2,000, it is stated.

"According to the report, the high school graduate goes to work at the age of 18 years, passes the maximum of the untrained man within 7 years, rises steadily to his own maximum of approximately \$2200 at 40 years and continues at that level for the remainder of his active life. His total earnings from 18 years of age are estimated at \$78,000. The \$33,000 excess over the life earnings of the untrained man represents the cash value of a four-year high school course.

"The permanent earnings of the college, or technical school graduate, begin at 22 years of age, although a considerable amount may be earned during the college course, the report shows. By the time the graduate is 28 years of age, his income equals that of the high school graduate at 40 years of age, and it continues steadily to rise, practically without a break. His income increases, it is pointed out, since it is dependent upon his mental ability and training constantly improved by practice, and the average of \$6000 at 60 years of age is often surpassed.

"The total earnings from 22 years to 60 years of age, not including any sum earned during the college period, are estimated at \$150,000. This

is \$72,000 more than that earned by the high school graduate, and this amount is used to represent the cash value of a college or technical school training."

IN the *Sunday Star* of Washington, D. C., is a big half-tone showing a group of Gallaudet College students undergoing an experiment with sound vibrations, being made by Robert H. Gault, professor of psychology of Northwestern University. Through these experiments, it has been proven that at least some of the students "hear" plainly through receiver vibrations, by using the fingers on the diaphragms. If this result is general, it is a step forward in the amelioration of deafness.

Fund for Chinese Deaf.

The following sums have been reported for the relief of the School for the Deaf at Chefoo, China, in response to the appeal printed in the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, some weeks ago:

Men's Club of St. Ann's Church	\$10.00
Special offering, St. Ann's.	13.87
Rev. John H. Kent.	2.00
St. Ann's Church School.	5.00
Total	\$30.87

It is earnestly hoped that other individuals and societies of the deaf will give something toward this relief fund, if they have not already done so directly. Contributions sent to the editor of the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL will be forwarded by a special bank draft to China. This is a worthy cause which every deaf person in the country should wish to aid.

National Association of the Deaf.

GALLAUDET MONUMENT REPLICA FUND.

BULLETIN NO. 57

Previously reported \$7,198.98

CHIP LIST

Under the Auspices of the American School for the Deaf Alumni Association. J. A. Sullivan, Chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Rose.	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blount.	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Davis.	1.00
W. M. Johnson.	50
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lades.	50
Walter Meynardie.	50
John Wingate.	50
Mr. and Mrs. Wright.	50
Student at Florida School for the Deaf.	2.88
O. W. Underhill.	1.00
Louis H. Egle.	50
B. F. Griscom, Elida, N. M.	1.00
Total to date, interest, etc.,	\$7,277.86

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Committee of the N. A. D.
May 4, 1925.

JAILED

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., April 9.—Following a wild ride through three counties in a stolen automobile, during which a woman at Pine Bluff was run down and injured seriously, Davis L. Turnbow, alias Duke Thompson, a deaf mute, aged 18, of Magazine, wrecked the car at Sweet Home and was injured. The youth is held in a local jail on a charge of grand larceny, and a warrant from Pine Bluff charging him with reckless driving, is expected here, police say Turnbow has confessed.

Officers say Turnbow escaped recently from the Boys' Industrial School near Pine Bluff. They say that he admitted driving away in a Ford truck from Seventh and Louisiana Streets. The truck belonged to the Little Rock Gas and Fuel Company.

At Pine Bluff, during the noon hour, Turnbow is charged with running down Miss Olga Springer, a stenographer, injuring her seriously. He did not stop, but sped out of the city toward Little Rock.

Several miles south of Sweet Home he lost control of the truck, and it was wrecked against a fence. Turnbow suffered an ugly gash on the scalp. He was removed to Little Rock in a P. H. Ruebel & Co. ambulance, and after attention at the General hospital was placed in jail by Lieut. O. N. Martin and Sergeant Henson.

Chief Police F. M. Henry, of Pine Bluff, asked the local officers yesterday afternoon for custody of the prisoner, but the local police probably will turn the youth over to officials of the Industrial School. Police here did not know any particulars about the former sentence.

Turnbow says that another youth was with him at the time of the alleged theft, but would not give his name.

What is defeat? Nothing but education. Nothing but the first step to something better.—Wendell Phillips.

CHICAGO.

Oh, Deafie dear, and did you hear
The news that's going round?
Us deaf-mutes are forbid our beer—
No beer on us is found.

No more we'll pace the peaceful pave
And talk in signs. . . . No; stop!!!
Be brave; behave; in signs don't rave—
Beware the shooting cop.

The oralists must be jubilant. A deaf man was shot by a policeman the morning of April 28th, FOR USING THE SIGN LANGUAGE!

They are trying to deprive us of the right to drive our own cars on the thoroughfares built with our own backs; perhaps they may eventually come around to depriving us of the right to peacefully pace along our own streets, or churn the air in our own language. The following from the American explains it:

MAN WITH HIP FLASK SHOT BY POLICEMAN

Fate wound a weird combination of circumstance today to cause William Ward, 18, to be taken to the County Hospital with a bullet in his thigh.

He was shot by Policeman Matthew Saurin of the Warren Avenue Station.

Ward was talking to Graham Wood, at W. Madison and Rockwell streets. The policeman spied the two and saw that a violent argument seemed to be in progress.

That's where the fine hand of fate appeared. The policeman thought he was witnessing a holdup and drew his gun, according to Chief Collins orders.

As he was approaching the pair Ward reached for his hip pocket, Saurin opened fire and just as Ward pulled a bottle of moonshine from his pocket he fell to the ground with a bullet in the hip.

"What was he waving his arms so for? I thought it was a robbery," said the policeman to Ward's companion.

Wood pulled a piece of paper from his pocket and wrote on it, "I'm deaf and dumb."

Both Ward and Wood, according to police, were intoxicated.

The annual ball of the Silent Athletic Club, held on the 25th, was not as well patronized as it should have been; but at that it was no small-town affair. A five-piece orchestra played the twelve dance numbers—starting at around 9:30 instead of the advertised hour of eight (when—oh, when—will these Chicagoans get the habit of being on time and starting things promptly?) Six tables played for "500" prizes in the parlor during the dancing—thereby affording pleasing pastimes for the ladies, over 35 (who are—by the peculiar tradition which passes as "Chicago chivalry"—forever consigned to be wall flowers at dances.)

It was the first silent ball I have attended in over a year, and the changes were therefore conspicuous. That gang of ill-bred boors, was conspicuous by their absence. Those Sac dances have finally developed the refinement and polish which was so long bemoaned. And I counted five males in evening dress.

For years I used to parade around Chicago balls, the only masculine genus homo in booted shirt and swallow-tail—enduring biting ridicule and covert contempt, yet persisting with fanatical faith that my missionary work would eventually bring those rough-necks and low-brows to at least try to ape the manners and habiliments of gentlemen (even if they weren't.) "We deaf are as good as the hearing, so for Gosh sake let's do as they do." I would entreat those who made sour remarks on shrimps and sausage-casings and clumsy cows and Indian war dances. Lo, all of a sudden the craze has spread. The world's finest silent clubhouse is beginning to fill with the finest silents.

The club awarded a bouquet of two-dozen roses as prize for the best dressed lady there, which went to Mrs. Abe Migatz—the pleasant young wife of the popular social-chairman of various organizations. She wore salmon-colored silk crepe, bead embroidered, cut medium-low in the neck, with stockings and slippers to match.

Cadet Drum Major Heintz did not return to school till Wednesday last, the 29th ult., as his mother is quite sick.

Last Saturday, May 2d, Pietro LaBarco was also admitted as a pupil to this institution. He came from the Westchester School for the Deaf.

F. P. Gibson, M. Henry, A. Migatz and H. Keesal, attended a gathering of silents in South Bend, Ind., lately, where 148 are said to have assembled.

Melville Cox and his wife got back on the 23d, after two months touring the country in Cox's brother's car. In all, they motored 3200 miles—a trip extending as far as Tia Juana, Lower California. Cox visited the clubrooms of the Los Angeles A. C. and the Silent Club, while in that of Mecca of Deafdom.

Mrs. Herbert Hackett, and two youngsters, are spending a pleasant time here with her mother, Mrs. William J. O'Neill. Mrs. O'Neill is popularly known in Sac circles as

"the youngest grandmother in captivity."

Remember the big Home bazaar at the Sac, May 23d. Mrs. Meagher herself is chairman in charge, which is a dead give-away to those who know her capacities.

In the early part of June, Mrs. W. McGann will give a "show" at the Pas-a-Pas Club, for the benefit of the Home.

Dates ahead May 23d—Big Home Bazaar at Sac. May 29, 30—Two day carnival at Sac—dancing and vaudeville.

J. FREDERICK MEAGHER.

FANWOOD.

Thursday evening, April 30th, the Sixth A Oral Class, whose teacher is Miss Alice E. Teegardin, showed in clear signs several readings, a dialogue and a debate, on the Chapel platform, before the Fanwood Literary Association.

The debate was very close, and was won by the affirmative side.

The judges chosen were Cadet Lieutenant Charles Knoblock, and Misses Edna Purdy and Frances Pollock, who herself was unable to be present, due to the precaution taken at the Mt. Airy Institution to guard against small pox or similar danger. Although we did not attend the entertainment it was said to have been quite a success. The proceeds will be applied to finishing the improvements in the basement of the Parish House, including painting. Miss Pollock and her hearing friends thus deserve very grateful thanks for their help in raising funds to complete the improvements mentioned. Miss Pollock is still a student at the Mt. Airy Institution.

A variety entertainment was given for the benefit of the Home for Aged, Infirm and Blind Deaf at All Souls' Hall, on Saturday evening, April 30th. The following program was successfully carried out:

PROGRAM

Ship a'ho—Lillian Link, Mary Klaits

The fishmonger Hannah Evans

The newly wed Myra Holden

The farmer Pauline Smith

The Mother Dorothy McKeon

The Scholar Elizabeth Hassett

Yankee Doodle—Elizabeth Hassett, Lillian Link, Mary Klaits, Helen Duby, Dorothy McKeon

"LOVE TRIUMPH"—A COMEDY IN 3 REELS

The hero Mary Klaits

The heroine Elizabeth Hassett

Her mother Hannah Evans

The villain Pauline Smith

The fiery gang—Hannah Evans, Lillian Link, Blanche Potomkin

ALLEGORY—SEARCHING FOR HAPPINESS

The child Lillian Link

Taste Myra Holden

Smell Diana Rubin

Sight Sadie Servenick

Touch Helen Duby

Hearing Mary Klaits

Power Pauline Smith

Art Dorothy McKeon

Knowledge Blanche Potomkin

Love Hannah Evans

Elizabeth Hassett

The entertainment was in charge of Misses Mary Klaits and Elizabeth Hassett, who also played leading parts in it.

Following the entertainment, Mrs. Sarah S. Vandegrift, the retiring matron of the Home at Doylestown, was escorted upon the stage, and after a complimentary address was read by Miss Gertrude M. Downey, presented a pretty bag containing \$60, as an appreciation from the deaf for her faithful and efficient service. Mr. Lipsitt also presented her a box of sweets. It happened that the day following was Mrs. Vandegrift's seventy-first birthday, so that the gifts were the more enjoyed. The following Monday, Mrs. Vandegrift left for Michigan to visit her son. On her return, she expects to live in Doylestown for a time at least.

A new matron has charge of the Home now.

On Saturday evening, April 25th, the Knights of De l'Epee held an enjoyable social at the Grand Fraternity on Arch Street. The attendance was about 175. One of the visitors from a distance was Mr. George Williams, of Boston, Mass. Competitive games were held and their prize winners were as follows:

First prize, Miss Margaret Fitzgerald, a box of correspondence paper;

NEW YORK

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HOUSTON ATHLETIC CLUB

On Saturday evening, April 25th, the Houston Athletic Club, at the Boys' Club under the leadership of the well known Master of Signs, Prof. William G. Jones, staged a "Bar Dance."

No admission was charged. Besides the relatives and friends of the members, the Fanwood Relay team that competed at the Franklin Field under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania in the afternoon, were present. In all about 250 were present.

Chairman Edward Malloy was easily assisted by Benjamin Shafrazen in the preparation, and they surely decorated the room beautifully. They also arranged for a series of games, for which they awarded prizes to the winners.

Most conspicuous of all in the decoration was the beautiful banner on the curtain which bore the clubs' name—"Houston A. C."

The winners of the games were:

Caudle Race—Miss Mollie Getsdorf and Fred Hoffman.

Hop Race—Miss Mae Ferguson.

Teaspoon Race—Louis Rosensweet.

The prize for dancing contest (Fox Trot) was won by Nathan Morell and Miss Sophie Cohen.

There was still another prize, which was decided by the applause of the audience. It was the "Charleston," and was spiritedly contested. As Miss Mollie Getsdorf received the most applause, the prize was awarded to her.

At the conclusion Chairman Maloy awarded the prizes to the winners.

A social hour was enjoyed after the affair, and refreshments were served to all.

The New York Evening Telegram and Mail of April 27th, contained the following:

DEAF AND DUMB VETERAN ATTACKED.

Caught after a chase of more than a block, a man described as Patrick Mullins, twenty five years old of No. 175 Grove Street, Hartford, Ct., was arrested today at Houston and Chrystie Streets. He was locked up on a charge of assault and robbery on complaint of John Barker, who alleges that Mullins robbed him of \$28 after knocking him down with a blow of his fist. Barker, who is a deaf and dumb, was attended at the police-station for a contusion of the right eye, by Dr. Besse, of Gouverneur Hospital.

WEDDING BELLS!

Nearly one hundred friends and relatives were present when the Rev. Father Casse united Miss Autoine Agnes DiAnno and Mr. Lawrence O'Shea in the holy bonds of matrimony at the Church of St. Theresa, Sterling Place and Clason Avenue, April 26th. The bride was given away by her hearing brother, while Mr. and Mrs. Paul Di Anno acted as bestman and bridesmaid, respectively.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of bride on Clason Avenue, which was also attended by many of their deaf friends as well as hearing relatives.

Mrs. O'Shea is a product of the Brooklyn branch of St. Joseph's Institution and Mr. O'Shea was educated at the Mr. Airy School in Pennsylvania. He is now employed in Philadelphia and will make his home in that city, with the best wishes for a happy married life from a score of his friends here in New York.

Messrs. Wm. Malone, Jas. Rooney and Frank Liberto, friends of Mr. O'Shea, accompanied him from Philadelphia and were present at the ceremony and reception.

XAVIER EPHPHETA SOCIETY-NOTES.

That recent item in the JOURNAL'S X. E. S. Notes, telling of the wonder expressed at the large attendance at the recent Mission given by Father Louis Egan, and the absence of so many of the Catholic deaf at the monthly X. E. S. meetings, must have attracted notice in silent circles, for the May 3d attendance doubled that of April.

The Rev. Director showed commendable improvement in his sign delivery. As a result all sat up and took notice of a sermon on the worth of Catholic example by the deaf as well as hearing people. Father Egan urged all to do their duty as Catholics, not alone in name, but in practice.

Chairman Mae F. Austra has tickets out for the X. E. S. whist and euchre party, at Xavier Gym, 136 West 15th Street, Saturday evening, May 16th. An array of prizes, worth while, have been donated for the winners.

Joe Dunnau, who has been ill for a month with an attack of painful mastoids on the left side of his head, was at May's meeting. All were glad to see him.

IN DIXIELAND.

All Atlanta joined Sunday, April 26th, with the rest of the south in paying annual tribute to the heroes of Dixie, who wore the gray during the days of the sixties. On May 30th, National Memorial Day, Atlanta and the south will again join in paying tribute to those who wore the blue, by decorating their graves in the National Cemetery, at Marietta. We observe two Memorial days in the south each year.

The Atlanta Journal says: "With a gain of more than one hundred thousand spindles in the course of a twelve-month, Georgia has passed Rhode Island in the cotton textile industry, thus winning fourth place in America. This is revealed through a current study of the Federal census reports for the year ending July 31st, 1924. Quite a number of deaf people are employed at the various textile manufacturing plants throughout Georgia, and all are doing well in this line, and keep more or less steady employment the year round.

Rev. S. M. Freeman is building a neat new bungalow for occupancy by himself and wife, on a lot adjoining the residence of his daughter, Mrs. M. M. Simmons, on Greenwood Place, Decatur. The construction of the building is progressing rapidly, and when completed will be one of the handsomest little homes on that street.

Trouble never seems to come singly. This saying has apparently been verified by another stroke of misfortune that befell Miss Zilla Hawkins, of Barnesville, about ten days ago, when the dwelling house in which she boarded was destroyed by fire in the early hour of 3 A.M. Miss Hawkins was asleep alone in her room, and had it not been for the bravery and presence of mind of another lady occupying an adjoining room, who rushed into her room to arouse her, Miss Hawkins would undoubtedly have been cremated in her bed. As it was she barely escaped with her life, and lost her trunk and all of her wearing apparel, together with a considerable sum of money and other personal valuables, which were in her trunk. The entire house and all its contents were destroyed, nothing being saved except a rocking chair, which was out on the front porch. This is quite a serious loss to Miss Hawkins and follows the sudden death of her father less than a month ago. Her many Atlanta friends sympathize with her, and have extended their aid in any way that can be of any assistance.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Nadrat Women's Club, held April 19th, Mrs. J. G. Bishop tendered her resignation as Secretary, giving as her reason the lack of time to devote to the necessary business of that office, inasmuch as the recent campaign launched to secure a "building fund" will double the amount of work required to be done. Her resignation was accepted with regret, and upon the vote of the entire membership Mrs. C. L. Jackson was named to fill the place of Corresponding Secretary and Chairman of the Building Committee. Mrs. Bishop will still continue as treasurer of the club, and all checks and dues should be sent to her. After the Frat banquet on May 7th, the Nadrats expect to begin their "building fund" campaign in earnest. Persons who have never seen Barnum's Circus are invited to learn what a circus looks like, at only 35 cents admission price. Persons who have seen Barnum's are invited to come and see something just like it, only different.

Mr. James Grimes, a deaf mute, of Ottawa, Canada, who is a telephone operator in Montreal, was in New York City last week. On Tuesday, April 28th, he was a visitor at the rooms of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League. On Wednesday he went to visit the School at Trenton, and then returned to New York, and after a short stay returned home.

In the Comie Vaudeville at St. Ann's on April 25th, Mrs. I. S. Fosmore wrote that two names were omitted in the report of the affair. The interlocutor in the "Coontown" sketch was Mrs. J. H. McCluskey, not Miss Miller, and Melvin Ruthven furnished the music for "Topsey and Eva."

Mr. David Sampson, formerly of Minnesota, son of deaf parents, who now resides in the city, was among the visitors at the Deaf-Mutes' Union League last Sunday. He can hear and speak, and also is very proficient in the use of the silent language.

The New York America on Saturday, May 2d, states that an unfortunate woman, Mrs. Margaret Sloan, probably demented, killed her nineteen-year-old son, and her seventeen-year-old daughter while they slept. The boy, deaf and dumb, was of unsound mind.

The New York Branch of the National Association of the Deaf will meet for the election of new officers Saturday evening, May 23d, at Fanwood. Keep this date in mind.

The betrothal of Miss Etta Aaron to Mr. Mendel Berman, of Brooklyn, N. Y., took place on the 15th of April, 1925.

On Sunday, April 19th, at Trinity Church, Pittsburgh, Miss Cecile Gladys Cole and Mrs. Marietta (Peterson) Nesbitt were baptized by Rev. F. C. Smielau. In the evening, at St. Mark's Church, Johnstown, Mr. Smielau baptized Julia Fore Laird, Joshua Albert Wilkinson, and Harry Slonaker.

GALLAUDET HOME

Late in the month of January last, Miss Walters, whose business it was to take care of Mrs. M. N. Nelson, who had been bedridden for the past three years and a half, went away on a three weeks' vacation, and during her absence Miss Carrie Lake, who is spoken of as the best nurse the Home ever had, took care of Mrs. Nelson. Miss Walter left here for good on the twenty-first of April, and the day following Mrs. Cora Nodine of the town of New Hamburg, three miles south of here, on the Hudson, came to take her place. This lady likes her new place of employment thus far, and is much liked by all the folks here. She is a widow with four children. Her nineteen-year old daughter takes care of her home while her mother is away. As soon as Miss Walters returned from her vacation, Mrs. Dixon went away for a couple of weeks' rest, and returned here on the thirteenth of February with her sister, Mrs. Jordan, of Pittsburgh. Mr. Jordan came also. The Jordans remained here until the sixteenth of February when they left here for the metropolis, where they usually purchased a large amount of goods for their millinery store in Pittsburgh. During Mrs. Dixon's absence, Miss Lake had charge of the couple of sick persons.

Mr. W. R. Jones, of Lithonia, was in Atlanta last week, buying up a new stock of leather for his shop. Mr. Jones now conducts the shoe repairing shop which was owned and operated for many years at Lithonia, by the late Mr. George W. Walker.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Willingham, Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson, Miss Margie Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. McLean, motored to Lithonia last Sunday, carrying many beautiful flowers to Mr. Maggie Walker, who is still very ill and not expected to survive.

C. L. J.

ATLANTA, April 30, 1925.

Why Should We Change?

EDITOR JOURNAL:—Some time ago our friend, Mr. George W. Veditz, made the suggestion that the N. A. D. and N. F. S. D. combine forces and hold their conventions at the same time and place.

We do not agree with him. In our opinion these two great organizations should be kept distinct and apart; but of course, always co-operating in harmony and goodwill to the other, in all that is for the welfare and advancement of the deaf in general; but combine their conventions or officials—never.

The N. A. D. already has too much petty politics within its ranks, and to meet in conjunction with the N. F. S. D. where it is likely in the future to have, as it is now, the same officers, or set of officers, serving in the major offices of both bodies, would render a harmonious and effective meeting impossible, and would open the way for both organizations to sooner later become great political machines.

The N. F. S. D. is a truly great and powerful organization of the deaf, and as it has barred women from its membership (which is as it should) it would be well if it would go one step further, and bar or vote down any and all suggestions for a combined, or division of time, with any other body or bodies which could tend to disrupt the old established order of things.

The N. F. S. D. is strictly a business body of men conducting a business of vital import to the deaf. Better let well enough alone as more harm than good is more than likely to result from holding the two conventions at the same time and place.

We have been present at conventions of both organizations, and know that the N. F. S. D. officers and delegates are all too busy the entire week to be able to give any serious consideration to the affairs of the N. A. D. Besides, we doubt that even should the N. A. D. hold its meeting following the N. F. S. D., or vice versa, that any of the delegates would be able to stay away from their jobs long enough to attend both; or that many of them could afford the expense of a two-week stay, even if they could leave their jobs that long.

It is not so much the number of people who attend a convention, that speaks for the progress of the organization, but the ability and business management of the officers in charge.

As the N. A. D. officials are not paid officers, only men who are able and willing to serve, and feel that they have the time sufficient to devote to the business of this organization should be elected, or permitted themselves, if nominated, to accept. We need good, efficient, self-sacrificing men in office—men who are big enough to put the N. A. D. first and their personal interests second. Until we find these kind, the N. A. D. will always be a football for political interests.

By all means let us keep the N. A. D. and the N. F. S. D. separate and distinct, with an entirely different set of officers at their head. Both organizations have grown and progressed separately, so why should we change now when very little, if any, possible good can be derived from the change?

MRS. C. L. JACKSON.
ATLANTA, GA., April 20, 1925.

OHIO.

(News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 998 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.)

May 2, 1925.—The Shriners are giving a circus this week in the coliseum of the State fair grounds. Tuesday afternoon they were hosts to the children and teachers of the School. Special street cars took the crowd up, and it sure enjoyed the presentation of the various performances of animal acts, and other specialties, among which were poodles and elephants acts. The acrobats, equestrian, clown and trapeze acts, were especially fine. The generosity of the management was greatly appreciated by the school. In addition, children from orphanages and crippled youngsters of the city, were sought out and treated to the show. At night performances, the Coliseum was filled to capacity.

The McGuffey Society, which holds its monthly meetings at the School, was presented with a silk flag by the McCoy Post, Woman's Relief Corps, in the Chapel, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, president of McCoy Post, made the presentation speech, and Mrs. Kate Eckleberry that of acceptance.

A class of pupils gave the flag salute, raising and lowering the flag, and audience sang one stanza of the Star Spangled Banner.

Miss Elizabeth P. Nelson, a lady manager of the Home, came here from her home in Yonkers on the twenty-first of February, and remained over a couple of weeks. While she was up in Poughkeepsie, on business, on the twenty-seventh of February, the wind blew so hard it pushed her down, and she had her leg slightly bruised.

At one time, it is said that Mrs. Nodine took care of Mr. W. W. Thomas' wife, or children, while they were sick, and so it is no new thing for her to be among the deaf again.

Mrs. Catherine Leary's niece, Miss Laura Gregg, and her friend, Miss Mabel Knowlton, of Perry, near Buffalo, drove all the way here just to stop for a little while to see and surprise Mrs. Leary, some weeks ago. She was delighted to see them. The ladies were on their way to Brooklyn, N. Y. They made their ephemeral call on the 28th of March, and left for home some time later.

Mrs. Redmond was away for a couple of weeks during the Easter tide. She visited her only son and family and enjoyed herself all the time she was away.

Because the ice in the artificial pond on the farmstead during the late winter season was at no time over four or five inches thick, Mr. Samuel Gardner was unable to procure a crop of it for this coming summer season, and so the Home will have to purchase what ice it may need at Wappinger Falls.

Mr. Samuel Gardner, who is a good mechanic and carpenter, as well as a good farmer, has made a delivery auto out of an old touring car, and finds it a very handy vehicle. Nowadays farmers seem to have little or no patience with their horses; they are very slow compared with the speed of the automobile, and do their best to get a car and use it instead of their horses. Every morning Mr. Gardner takes a quantity of fresh milk to the market, and likes to be there and back again in quick time, so as to tend to his work in the fields as early as possible.

Miss Kate Martin, a niece of the matron, and her friend, Miss Luin Allen, are here to stay for the week's end. These ladies live up in Troy, N. Y., and come here quite often, and are much liked by the members of the household.

Mr. R. A. Kersteeter, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was up here to address the members of the family early in March, and so much pleased was he with his visit and the society of the household, he came again on Easter Sunday, and hopes to be here again ere long.

Not liking to live under the sheltering wing of this blessed refuge, where he had resided for exactly a year, James Madison Witbeck left here on the fourth of last March, and now is an inmate of the County House up in Schenectady, N. Y.

Not long ago, as Mrs. Rascol was the happy recipient of a photograph of her infant grandson and its mother, who live down in New Orleans, and she declares the baby somewhat resembles her in looks. Others, who have seen the picture, share with her in her declaration.

STANLEY.

Bruno Lessing in the New York American says that speech is far from being the most wonderful faculty of man, and that Helen Keller, born speechless and sightless, possesses more wonderful faculties than many a human being of inferior mould.

The most wonderful faculty of the mind is its power to think. The best thinking is done in silence. Its fruits blossom in a myriad of forms, each one of which is superior to speech.

CONNECTICUT.

It isn't possible for any of us to say what a shock to us deaf was the tragedy that befell our dearly beloved minister. It hurts every one of us who knew him—it hurts way down deep in our hearts. It doesn't seem fair that he should have gone in such a way. The deaf needed him, so for he always seemed to understand us. But God's will be done!

In appreciation of the work Rev. Heffron did for us, wouldn't his deaf friends be glad to show their appreciation in some way? We wish to put a stone or small monument over our minister's grave. Ten, fifteen, twenty five cents, or even more, would go a long way if the congregation to whom he ministered would send that in. It is such a small thing for us to do for him after all he did for us. Any contribution, be it ever so small, will help, and your co-operation is expected, all of you deaf friends. Send contributions to Mrs. Alfred Stevenson, Box 91, Saybrook, Ct.

It is with the deepest regret that we write of the death of another wonderful friend, Mrs. Emma Frellick, wife of Fred James Frellick, of Stamford, Ct. Mrs. Frellick passed away on Saturday morning, April 18th, from complications of ailments, after being in a state of coma for four days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frellick were both of the old Hartford School, and are very well known all over New England. The body was taken to Princeton, Mass., for burial, on the same afternoon that our minister, Rev. Heffron, was buried. A sweet, cheerful woman, she was every body's friend. We extend to Mr. Frellick our sincere sympathy in his loss. It is our loss, too, but what is our loss is her gain.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stevenson, of Saybrook, Ct., have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Stevenson's mother in Bridgeport and, on returning to Saybrook, Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, with many other deaf from one town, were among those in New Haven last Sunday to attend the Silent Mission, and afterwards, church dinner. Every arrangement was made for the dinner, the table loaded with food, and we wondered why our minister was so late. After waiting for quite some time, a telephone message was received to tell us our minister couldn't come—had been killed. It was a sober, sad group, that left the church again. Will we ever have another friend like him?

A little six year old deaf-mute boy was killed while playing in the street when an auto truck ran over him. The driver of the truck was held blameless and the accident unavoidable. We wonder if the child shouldn't have been attending a school for deaf. It is probable that the parents weren't aware of such schools, else the fatality might have been avoided. The child's mother and an older brother were buried only a week before this accident.

Ignor

Fairy Godmother's Club

Uncle Sam, on Friday, April 10th, carried in his letter bag twenty tiny invitations to each of twenty members of the Fairy Godmother's Club, of Philadelphia, requesting the pleasure of each member's presence at a banquet, given by one of its most popular members, Mrs. Nancy Moore, of Toronto, Canada. These little envelopes created a great stir among the fairies and they, one and all, hustled to rouse up their best bibs and tuckers for the great occasion. "What will you wear to the Banquet?" was a very popular question among the club members, for the rest of the week, and the answer often was: "My nightie," or "a pillow case with a blue string tied around my waist." But when Wednesday, the 15th, arrived, there was a fine array of evening gowns and every one felt the unusual spirit of the evening.

The members of the Club are: Mesdames M. J. Syle, Edith Rothmund, H. Smith, Alex McGhee, Thomas Breen, H. Arnold, Charles Partington, E. Scott, H. E. Stevens, J. Allen, Mabel Wilson, of Canada; D. Paul, C. O. Dantzer, G. Wise and Misses Hess, Downey, Leaming, Dugan, Mrs. J. Dunner and Mrs. N. Moore, the hostess.

At nine o'clock, the guests were ushered into the dining-room, where a beautifully arranged table in pink and white was set. Miss Irene Syle, Mrs. McLean and her small son, Donald, acted as waiters, and no one lacked full attention.

The menu was unusually elegant and similar in service to that served at first-class hotel banquets. It consisted of the following:

MENU	
Shrimp Cocktail	Perfection Salad
Pimento Bisque	Creamed Potatoes Candied Sweet Potatoes
Chicken and Mushroom Patties	Green String Beans Fresh Peas
Cucumber Sandwiches	Olivies Sweet Pickles
Rolls and Butter	Jellied Pineapple Salad
After Dinner Mints	
Salted Almonds	Salted Peanuts
Chocolate Straws	Bon-Bons
Cake 1915-1925	
Merrigus Glace Strawberry Ice Cream	
Toasted Cheese Crackers	Coffee

Mrs. Moore had warned each one in advance to be prepared to give a toast. When the banquet was over Mrs. M. J. Syle acted as toastmaster. When she called upon "yours truly," for a toast, Miss Downey professed ignorance of the word *toast* and presented Mrs. Moore with a hugh slice of that delicacy, hoping to escape the after-dinner speech, but it didn't work. Each member told a story gay or sad, as it happened, and after expressing their appreciation of Mrs. Moore's hospitality they all went home, as one of them expressed it—too full for utterance! We all hope to meet again around the banquet board next year.

Not to be outdone, Mrs. Thomas Breen entertained the same club at her handsome home, on Saturday evening, the 25th of April, with a very enjoyable luncheon. Just before the hour of the club's meeting, a very threatening thunder storm broke over Philadelphia, and kept several of the members at home, for fear of a ducking. But the fourteen who braved the elements had a gay time and were glad they had had the courage to attend, as the table was very finely appointed, and afterwards Mrs. Mabel Wilson made a big hit with some of her laughable cartooning of different people.

The club will in May accept Mrs. John Allen's invitation to meet at her home, in Olney.

Washington is the mightiest name on earth—long since mightiest in the cause of civil liberty, still mightiest in moral reformation. To add brightness to the sun or glory to the name of Washington are alike impossible. Let none attempt it. In solemn awe pronounce the name, and in its naked, deathless splendor, leave it shining on.—Lincoln.

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Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 8:15 P.M.
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Fifth Sunday, Ante-Communion and Catechism, 8:15 P.M.
Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except during July and August, 8 P.M.
Gatherings, other Meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.
Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 11 A.M.
Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.
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Saturday Afternoon, May 30, 1925

FROM 2:00 TO 6:00 P.M.

1. Baseball Target—3 out of 5 trials (one free ice cream cone.)
2. Gymnasium Work. 3. Little Circus Show.
4. Nail Driving, for ladies only (3 cones free to a winner.)

1. 100 yard dash. 4. 220-yard Run.
2. One Mile Run. 5. 440 yard Walk.
3. 880 yard Relay. 6. 2 mile Bike Race

Prizes to be awarded by Isaac B. Gardner, M.A., Principal of the Institution. To be eligible for events, athletes must be graduates of Fanwood. Events will close with Frank T. Lux, 99 Fort Washington Avenue, New York City, not later than May 25th, 1925.

Admission to Grounds, 25 Cents.

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